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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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ROGER D. MELEN, et al.)	
		:	Group Art Unit: 3621
Application No.: 09/695,747)	
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Filed: October 24, 2000)	
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For:	BUSINESS METHOD FOR)	
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 31, 2003 for three months, from April 30, 2003 to July 31, 2003.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$930.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa,

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